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3 October 1972

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Discussion with Mr. William Broe: I had a chat with Mr. Broe on 3 October about the following:

a. The advisability of continuing the SSS survey. I suggested that since at least one major decision affecting that organization - the future of SIPS - is unresolved it might be wise to suspend survey action. Another uncertainty is the return to our jurisdiction of Records Management responsibility. Mr. Broe has apparently not had any comments from [REDACTED] or Mr. Colby on this point. I reminded him that the move was initiated by us in an effort to improve the stature of the records program. We had additionally suggested that once the uplift had been accomplished the responsibility should more appropriately be given back to DD/S rather than expecting the Executive Director to control an operating unit. I also mentioned again the fact that the slots and people remain on our platter largely because of the anticipated future return.

Mr. Broe agreed that his people had enough to do without conducting a survey which would be unproductive. He will speak with [REDACTED] and will likely come with [REDACTED] to talk to us.

b. Directorate representation on the Board of Visitors. I asked Mr. Broe if he had any ideas on the level or type of officer he would like to see Directorates nominate for the Board of Visitors. His response reflected uncertainty as to what truly is desired by the Executive Director and the Director of Training including specifically the amount of time which the senior Directorates representatives will be required to devote to the Board activities. He does not visualize a concentrated period for

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example of one month and he does believe that most of the work will be done by the Directorate representatives and by committees set up under Board cognizance. I mentioned the possibility of nominating Mr. Wattles to represent this Directorate during at least the initial life of the Board and development of its charter modus operandi and procedures. Mr. Broe thought this would be a good move.

In this connection and also relatable to the talk about the SSS survey, Mr. Broe mentioned that the IG Staff of 13 is under increasing pressure to be involved in wider range of activities. The evaluation effort is one and a further one is the proposed role in reviewing and analyzing annual reports. In this connection the Executive Director apparently has in mind that the IG will during the program/budget review process present an analysis of the component activities as reflected in the annual report for the past budget year.

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d. [REDACTED] and I met with Messrs. Broe and [REDACTED] 25X1A on 3 October. After some discussion including the fact that SIPS would continue in being for as much as a year, it was suggested by the IG and agreed by us that he continue the survey.

On the matter of RMB's return to DD/S command. Mr. Broe reported his mention to Mr. Colby and [REDACTED] drew comment 25X1A pointing to "year or two" time frame.

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